IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Lightner et al. Application No. 10/539,215

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ALTERED OIL CONTENT

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated January 3, 2008, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was sent, making a response due on or before February 3, 2008. As February 3, 2008 falls on a Sunday, this response is timely filed on Monday, February 4, 2008. It is believed that no fee is necessary. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.

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